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# MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Policy Memorandum -- Juvenile Curfew

### 1. REFERENCES:

2. PURPOSE: The safety and well being of our family members is a priority of this command. Supervision is a parental responsibility. Parents are accountable for any violation of this policy, and other incidents of misconduct, perpetrated by juveniles/adolescents while they reside, work, or travel on Fort Jackson. This policy memorandum applies to all military and civilian parents/guardians and their children.

## 2. DEFINITIONS:

- a. A parent/guardian is defined as the mother or father of a child related by blood, marriage (step-parent), adoption, legal guardianship, person charged with parental rights, duties and responsibilities, or persons temporarily supervising juveniles; e.g., a guest in their quarters.
- b. A juvenile/adolescent is defined as the unmarried child, whether biological child, adopted child, foster child, stepchild, or ward of a military member or civilian for whom treatment is authorized in a medical facility of the military services, who is under 18 years of age.

# 3. POLICY:

- a. Unless they are under the supervision of a parent, guardian, other adult entrusted with the juvenile's supervision by the juvenile's parent or guardian, or a relative who is 18 years of age or older, the following applies:
- (1) On weekdays (Monday Friday) Juveniles 15 years of age and younger must be inside their home or someone else's home between 2100 hours and 0600 hours; juveniles who are 16 or more years of age, and less than 18 years of age must be inside their home or someone else's home, between 2200 hours and 0600 hours.
- (2) On weekends and holidays, juveniles 15 years of age and younger must be inside their home, or someone else's home, between 2200 hours and 0600 hours; juveniles who are 16 years of age, but less than 18 years of age must be inside their home or someone else's home, between 2400 hours and 0600 hours.

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- (3) Other exceptions include: When juveniles are returning from a community or schoolorganized function, a Youth Services Program Event, performing official employment, or responding to a bona fide emergency.
- b. A parent or adult guardian of a juvenile violates this policy memorandum, if he or she knowingly permits, or by insufficient supervision allows the juvenile to violate paragraph 3a, above.
- 4. PENALTIES: Sponsors of juveniles found in violation of this policy may be subject to one or more of the following sanctions:
  - a. A verbal warning.
  - b. Command notification.
  - c. Letter of warning, stating that future violations may result in more serious sanctions.
- d. Installation Bar Letter, denying or restricting access to the installation and on-post privileges.
- 5. Violations of this policy should be reported to the Military Police at 751-3115. The Military Police will detain the juvenile in violation, contact the parent(s) or guardian(s), and direct that they ensure the juvenile remains home during curfew hours.
- 6. The proponent for this Policy Memorandum is the Directorate of Emergency Services.

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